



THE ELBA CLIPPER

NUMBER 40

WEEK-END VISITORS AT BROWN HOME

Among those visiting Mr. and Mrs. John H. Brown during the week-end were: Mr. Otis Brown, Mr. Ben H. (Bill) Brown, Misses Eva Mae and Johnnie Mae Brown, all of Fairfax; and Mrs. Dewey Weeks and son, Mickey, of Eglin Field, Fla.; Sgt. and Mrs. Dick Brown and son, Harold, of San Francisco, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Curvy Taylor and son, Holman; Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Foster and son, Jimmie; and Joe Brown; Mrs. Sheldon Moore; Mr. Jack Brown and son, Billie; Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and grandson, Curtis, all of Elba.

Sgt. and Mrs. Sonny Inman have been guests in the home of Mrs. R. L. Cooper for several days.

Mrs. Oswald Dowling and daughter, Mary Oswald, visited relatives in Bradenton, Fla., several days last week.

Mrs. Sallie Mae Calhoun and son, James, of New Brockton, visited Mrs. Frank Blair Saturday.

NOTICE
I have a load of broke and unbroken mules. You can get what you want here.
John Brown, New Town.

No. 1 Seed Peanuts

See us for your No. 1 Farmers Stock Seed Peanuts. We have a large supply for delivery at our Warehouse in West Elba. Place your order now.

Elba Gin & Warehouse Co.

Phone 188
Elba, Ala.

Record Hog Prices Received At Elba Sale Monday

No. 1 Hogs..... \$14.40
No. 2 Hogs..... 14.15
Heavy Hogs..... 14.20
Number 3 Hogs..... 13.30

These were the highest prices yet received at an Elba sale and were from 40 to 60 points above other nearby markets on the same day and several points above the Montgomery market.

Cattle continue to sell at exceptionally good prices.

Just remember Elba has one of the best live stock markets in Alabama. A good sale every Monday.

Elba Livestock Market

ELBA, ALABAMA

You'll Smile, Too---
If You Let Us Do Your Washing!

SAVE TIME! SAVE MONEY!
SAVE CLOTHES!

Send or bring—or call us for pick up—your washing, as so many other wise housewives are doing. You, too, will discover your clothes wear longer, and smell sweater, when we do them.

Our service is prompt and our charges reasonable.

White Cleaners and Laundry

Elba, Alabama Phone 43 James Wise, Owner



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BIRTHDAY DINNER Advertising

Mr. W. L. Culver celebrated his 78th birthday on Sunday, March 7th, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutley. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green; Mr. and Mrs. Charles; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bryan and sons, Jimmy and Donald; Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Culver and son, Buddy; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Culver; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutley and children, Henry, Willie, Walter and Ruby; and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Frame.

LOST HAT—Red felt hat placed in wrong car about month ago. Please return to Funk Simmons, Rt. 1, Elba.

Mrs. Vernon Frame.

RELATIVES would like information regarding ancestors of Elisha Marler, who were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Chapman. Mrs. Chapman remained with them and is staying than for a short visit, having returned to Elba during the past week-end.

Perry Prescott, of Bay Minette, spent several days here last week, guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Prescott.

Mrs. G. R. Mallory and little son, of Greenville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore, several days this week.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY "TRUE TO THE ARMY"

—Featuring—
July Travis, Julie Bishop, Serial and Western Admission 10c and 25c

SATURDAY ALL DAY "CALL OF THE CANYON"

—Starring—
Gene Autry
Serial and Comedy Admission 10c and 25c

SATURDAY 4 P. M.—LATE SHOW "BUUSES ROAR"

—Featuring—
Richard Travis, Julie Bishop, Serial and Western Admission 10c and 25c

TUESDAY ONLY—Bargain Day "TOMBSTONE"

—Starring—
Richard Dixie
The year's best western All Seats 10c

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY "SEERGEANT YORK"

—Featuring—
Gary Cooper at his best Regular Prices

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Buy War Bonds Every Pay Day

Let's Double Our Quota

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation for all the kindness rendered during the illness and death of our husband and father. Your thoughtful, however, and expressions of sympathy will always be remembered by us.

Mrs. Lula Chapman and Children.

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Mrs. State Fortines, Complainant, vs.

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In the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Elba, Ala., in Equity.

Notice is given that the under-signed, by virtue of the decree contained in an order of the court entered in this cause on the 10th day of February, 1943, and under seal of record, will offer for sale and sell at public auction, during the legal hours of business, on the 10th day of April, 1943, at the courthouse in Elba, Alabama, to the highest bidder for cash, on credit, the following described property, to-wit:

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GLADYS CLARK,
Register of the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama.

FEDERATED STORES

ELBA, ALABAMA

THE ELBA THEATRE

WEEKLY PROGRAM

THURSDAY—LAST DAY

Roy Acuff in

"HI NEIGHBOR"

with Lula Belle & Scotty

also Latest War News

Admission 10c and 25c

FRIDAY—Double Feature

"STAND BY ALL NETWORKS"—With—

John Bea Florence Rice

also Western and Serial

Admission 10c and 25c

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NEW POLICY STATED FOR FARM WORKERS

Feb. 26, 1943.

Dear Editor:

Just a few lines from the far distant land, fighting for America and you, the people of Elba, I hope you all know this is a big, rough pond to cross, but we won't come home until the Allies are boss. We shall win—there is no doubt about it, and we will do our part and the victory should not be far off. They call me Lulu, and I long to hear from all of the people of Elba and around there. A. P. O. 709, San Francisco, Calif., care Postmaster.

So come on, all of you good people in good old Alabama, and drag me a line, for it is a k. with me, and I long to hear from all of the people of Elba and around there. A. P. O. 709, San Francisco, Calif., care Postmaster.

And three cheers for Alabama!

Paul Roberts left yesterday for Nashville, Tenn., for his formal induction into the Army Air Corps. He was accompanied by his father, Rev. C. P. Roberts.

We'll meet next month in the town of Mrs. Grace Carnley for the study of

Short Courses in Housekeeping.

The meeting adjourned, after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Memorandum No. 975-33 issued by the Secretary of Agriculture assigns a definite responsibility to the Coffee County USDA War Board in connection with the classification of necessary farm workers.

The campaign for raising War Relief Funds for the Elba section of the American Red Cross will begin next Monday, March 22.

Plans are being perfected to carry the appeal to every man and woman within the area.

(1) Initiate requests for deferment of farm workers.

(2) Appeal from the decision of local Selective Service Boards whenever it feels such appeals are justified.

(3) Assist in finding employment for any farm essential workers for any nation as of all those of allied nations, together with services being rendered to those now in camps in the United States have been greatly increased during the past two years and National Red Cross is asking for the largest war fund in its history.

Local services have also been increased a large measure due to the fact that dependents of farm workers are depending upon the local chapter for assistance in solving their problems, principally in regard to the allotment of pay and allowances from the government. Many men serving in the armed forces have been necessary to employ a full-time Executive Secretary in the county. The time of this secretary is divided between the two county chapters.

The chairman of the Coffee County USDA War Board is Mr. M. F. McCollough of Elba. Also, the officer in charge of the board is in the courthouse at Enterprise.

Funeral services were held at the church Monday afternoon, with Rev. O. M. Fox of Elba, officiating. Interment was in the church cemetery, with Bonneau-Jeter in charge of arrangements.

CAMP RUCKER "RIGHT IN HIS BACKYARD"

Sgt. Leroy Bowdon, stationed at St. Augustine Recreational Area, St. Augustine, Fla., visited his home in Elba last Friday. He was on a detail to Camp Rucker earlier in the week if he knew where Camp Rucker was, was hastily replied: "Yes, sir, it is right in my backyard." Five of Sgt. Bowdon's crew accompanied him far as Camp Rucker.

Relatives and friends were delighted to see him. He plans to return on a furlough in the near future and liberally, the need is most urgent.

Mr. Robert L. Farris, who is living in Sylacauga, but employed in the government munitions plant at Childersburg, as technical chemist, visited relatives in this vicinity over the weekend.

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Congress of March 3, 1875.SUBSCRIPTION PRICE
One Year \$1.50
Six Months .75
CASH IN ADVANCEEISENHOWER TALKS
FROM ALBION

"I have been asked to send an appeal from our soldiers in North Africa to our home country for subscriptions for the American Red Cross. I prefer not to call my little talk an appeal. I should rather say that I give you a statement of facts."

"I firmly believe that if American citizens could be assured that the Red Cross was rendering effective aid to our fighting armies, any donation we could make would be overshadowed in a single day. Each of you has a brother, son, husband, or very dear friend serving somewhere in the armed forces. The American Red Cross is a single organization, and the things that have no place in official equipment tables, but do so much for his well-being and morale,

"Here in Africa, that soldier is back, looking at one of our posts unloading ships, and helping to move supplies to combat soldiers who are hundreds of miles away in slit trenches at the battle-front. He may actually in some cases be lying sick and wounded in one of our hospitals. Wherever he is, whether duty is performing, the American Red Cross is nearly there to learn of his wants and to take care of the men and women of the Red Cross labor night and day to give the soldier a comforting smoke when he has none of his own to hand him a razor, toothpaste, a piece of candy, or any other of the hundreds of other items that may, for the moment, seem to him to be the most important things he could get."

"In Red Cross Clubs, big and little, wherever there are troops concentrated, it provides a little like a home where your son or friend may get a good cup of coffee, read a book or magazine, or just relax among people that he knows to be his friends. If he's in a hospital special unit, an army or navy Red Cross woman will bring him anything possible to add to his contentment or even, upon request, write a letter to his homefolks. Most of North Africa is undeveloped country, but the Red Cross is practically stripped of all those things you are used to buying daily at the corner drug store. Here a soldier cannot walk in and buy any of those things so necessary to his comforts and existence, almost all of them.

"The Red Cross takes your subscription, transforms it into useful and practical aid, and brings it to the soldier freely, cheerfully and efficiently."

"I do hope that the Red Cross' contribution in this theatre will be expanded many times. We have need of it every day everywhere. In the brief moment I have had, I cannot possibly describe to you the example to which our particular soldiers, the magnificent soldiers who fill the American units in North Africa, depend upon the American Red Cross. Perhaps it is best for me to say that I have yet to meet a man in North Africa—and I speak to hundreds—who doesn't say with enthusiasm and vigor: "That Red Cross is certainly doing one fine job."

Citizens of the Western Division of Coffee will have the opportunity of contributing to the Red Cross War Fund in a campaign to be held during the next Monday, March 22. Every man, woman, boy and girl should give liberally so that this great work may be continued.

SUNDAY SCHOOL
LESSONby HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. B.
Released by Western Newspaper Union

Lesson for March 21

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OUR LORD'S INTERCESSORY PRAYER

LESSON TEXT—John 17:18-19, 25;
GOLDEN TEXT—"Holy Father, keep through Your name those whom You have given me, that they may be one, as we are." John 17:21.

There are some times and places where I am sure that the Master has indeed manifested His will when I have given me, that they may be one, as we are." John 17:21.

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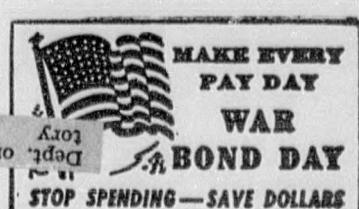
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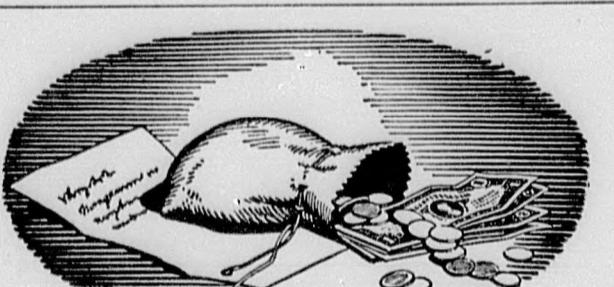
ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1943

RECEIVES LETTER FROM SON NOW IN HAWAII

Mrs. Emma Crocker and Jean were made happy last week when they received a letter from Jerial Crocker, who is with the U. S. Army, on two letters, two months. The letter states that he is fine and that he has been in the kitchen for two months and likes it.

Jerial did not hear from home very much, but says it sure is good to get a letter. He says he will get to slay some of those dirty Japs in the face, and then will get to come back to the States and good old Elba, where he will have the pleasure of shaking hands with old friends and show off his patriotic service of mother's good home cooking. He has been away over two years. He states that he would appreciate a letter from any friend back home, for it is lonely there. His address can be secured from his family.

Scrape or grate a raw Irish potato and apply it, like a poultice, to a burn. It will be found most soothing.



Seed Money

There's only one thing foolish than killing the goose that lays the golden eggs. That's living up the money that has been put away to pay for next year's crops.

Although G-E turbines and electric generators don't grow from the ground up, they are a seed problem just the same. For next year's models and improved designs, and new products—all these cost money. Money for research, and engineering, and new tools, and advertising to tell the public where a product can be obtained, and how much it will cost.

And the only place this money can come from is out of past earnings, or borrowing on the promise of earnings in the future. In other words—from *nowhere*.

From the days of research and engineering, planted in years ago, General Electric, have come some pretty amazing crops. Incandescent lamps five times as efficient as Edison's vacuum tubes that made radio broadcasting possible, refrigerators for the home and electric machines for industry to make it easier.

Right now the crops we're growing are all of the "Victory Garden" kind—wounds that are serving with our armed forces on land and sea in every theater of war.

But we mustn't neglect the seed money for the future. We're looking forward to the continuance of the industrial system that will allow us to open up and cultivate other new and promising fields. So, tomorrow, look for important developments in television, fluorescent lighting, plastics, electronics. These will be familiar words in the post-war world. GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY, SCHENECTADY, N.Y.

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To All Men In The Armed Forces

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However, the order does apply to the scores of subscribers now serving in the United States and who will eventually go overseas. To make sure that The Elba Clipper will continue to go to you when and if you leave the United States to serve on foreign soil, we request that you NOW FILE OUT THE FOLLOWING BLANK AND MAIL TO THE ELBA CLIPPER IMMEDIATELY:

Date.....

The Elba Clipper, Elba, Ala.

I request that you continue sending every copy of your paper when and if I am sent overseas in the service of my country.

Signed.....

Address.....

Classified Advertising

CATFISH LEGAL SIZE FIXED AT 15 INCHES

Montgomery, Ala.—Catfish measuring less than 15 inches may not be caught for commercial purposes under a new state law announced by the State Conservation Department.

The resolution declared it illegal to take, catch or kill for commercial purposes channel, blue channel and yellow or mud cat measuring less than 15 inches.

FARMER DIES SUDDENLY

Zack Polson, 72, farmer of Leverette community, died suddenly at his home early Saturday morning from heart attack. Mr. Polson had recently moved to Leverette from Victoria county.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Rossie Polson; four daughters: Mrs. Artie Lou Moore of Samson; Mrs. Chessie Lee Mobley of Victoria, and Mrs. Ruschia Daughtry of Columbus, Ga.; three sons, Marvin and Leander of Victoria, and David Polson of New Hope.

Burial was from New Home Church Saturday morning with the Rev. Hill Powell officiating. Burial was in the adjoining cemetery.

NOTICE

I have a load of broke and broken mules which you want here.

John Brown, New Town.

Miss Better Braswell returned to Elba Saturday from a visit to friends in Montevallo.

Dr. R. L. Ringo, of Jacksonville and Camp Blandin, Fla., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Price Ringo for several days.

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WEEKLY PROGRAM

THURSDAY—LAST DAY

"SERGEANT YORK"

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"UNITED WE STAND"

Actual scenes of a war-torn world told by Lowell Thomas

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Misses Winifred Grimes and Ruth Burks, of State Teachers College, Troy, visited Mrs. Jake Morrow during the ten-day furlough last week.

Aviation Cadet Douglas E. Edwards, 18, of Elba, and in Elba with his mother, Mrs. Eva Esters, and other relatives. He has completed his basic pilot's training and is now stationed at Turner Field, Albany, Ga., where he is getting his advanced training.

Sgt. Wade Mallory, stationed at Fort Bragg, N.C., arrived in Elba last Thursday for a short visit with his folks.

Roy Devane, who has been in a military camp in California for some time, returned to Elba Saturday, having received his discharge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitman, Jr., announced the birth of a daughter on Monday, March 15, at Enterprise hospital.

Mrs. R. L. Taylor, of Dothan, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Swaine. Little Miss Judy Taylor is spending the weekend in the Swaine home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bryan were visitors to Montgomery during the week-end, guests of Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Tubb and family.

Joseph L. Jones, U. S. Navy, is spending a few days in Elba with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jones, on Smith Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Vaughan were visitors in Andalusia Sunday. Miss Bernice Vaughan, who had been visiting there, returned to Elba with them.

Mrs. L. E. Hay and Mrs. Bill Hay, of Doxsonville, Ga., Mrs. G. W. Morrow and children, of Chipley, Fla., were guests of friends and relatives in Elba last Wednesday.

Nearly 90 per cent of our former family came from Malaysia, now in enemy hands.

GLADYS CLARK, Register of the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama.

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